

## LOCAL NEWS.

TUESDAY EVENING, MARCH 10.

**MARINE ACCIDENT.**—Yesterday evening, about two o'clock, the schooner *Kitty Ann*, Captain Laycock, loaded with grain by George Y. Worthington, and the long boat *Waymark*, Captain King, loaded with grain by W. A. Moore, in tow of the steam tug *Zeta*, bound from this city to Georgetown, when a short distance above the Long Bridge—having successfully passed through the draw—were caught by the drifting ice, and, being borne down forcibly against the bridge, had their masts and all their upper works carried away. The *Waymark* drifted through the bridge, and down as far as Giesboro, near which point the steamer *Virginia*, from this city, which was sent to her assistance, reached her—took out her grain, as she was leaking, and towed her here. The *Kitty Ann* was towed on after the accident to Georgetown, where she discharged her cargo, and was to have returned to this city this morning to fulfill her contract, which was to carry three loads of grain to Georgetown.

**THE POTOMAC.**—We have the advantage on our noble river, below the Eastern branch, of rarely ever being troubled with freshets, or subjected to inconvenience or loss from overflows. Occasionally, at long intervals a high tide will raise the water up to or over the wharves, but these cases are rare, and but little damage ever ensues. This year the accumulated ice and snow of nearly three months, from the Upper Potomac, has passed off, and by us, harmlessly. The broad expanse of the river gives ample verge and scope enough for the volume of water, and the floating masses which it bears along.

**MAN KILLED.**—A man named Frank Petit, whose mother lives in Scott's Row, beyond the Cotton Factory, while hunting this morning on Daingerfield's Point, north of Slater's, was shot and killed. A man named George Hoskins, who had gone hunting with him, states that he heard the discharge of a gun, and that on going to the place where he had left Petit, he found him lying on the ground with his face and head bloody, and that in a short time he died. A coroner's jury was summoned to hold an inquest over the body this evening, at two o'clock. In the mean time the corpse remained where it, the body, fell.

**ODD FELLOWS AFFAIRS.**—P. G. P. Peter G. Uhler was elected on Friday night last, by Potomac Lodge, No. 38, I. O. O. F., of this city, Representative to the Grand Lodge of the State of Virginia, which will assemble in Richmond, on Wednesday, the 15th of April, proximo. Last night, P. G. P. Peter G. Uhler, and P. G. P. Hugh Latham, were elected by Marley Encampment, No. 6, Representatives to the Grand Encampment, which will convene in Richmond immediately after the adjournment of the Grand Lodge.

**ENTERPRISE.**—As an evidence of the trouble to which some of the attendants of the Alexandria market will go to supply their customers, it is mentioned that Mr. William Johnson, who has one of the fish stands in the market square, a day or two ago visited the fishing shores of Captain Guy and Mr. Cawood, near Aquia Creek, and last night brought up on the Vanbille, between three and four hundred bunches of splendid rock and perch, which he had for sale this morning.

**EINTRACHT.**—The Eintracht, as will be seen by an advertisement in another column of today's Gazette, propose giving a grand masked ball on the night of Wednesday, the 18th inst.—the pecuniary receipts of which are to be appropriated to the benefit of the poor. All the entertainments of the Eintracht during the past Winter have been eminently successful, and it is anticipated that the approaching ball will fully equal any of its predecessors.

**FOR THE PENITENTIARY.**—The Aquia Creek steamer *Vanderbilt* took aboard last night, at this city, Wm. Dearman, Sheriff of Clarke county, and three guards, having in custody two white and one colored man destined for the penitentiary. All three were convicted of horse stealing—the white men having been sent for 14 years each, and the other for 5 years.

**CURRIOMAN LINE.**—The steamer *Wawaset* resumed her trips on the Cone River Line this morning—taking down to her destination, and to the different landings on the Potomac many passengers and much freight. She will continue hereafter to make two trips a week—leaving here on Tuesdays and Fridays, and returning on Wednesdays and Sundays.

**FELL OFF THE CARS.**—As the last train of cars from Washington was crossing King street, last night, a colored woman, who had been detained in the cars, in attempting to jump off, fell, and but for the timely assistance of a police officer, who was standing near by, and who dragged her from her perilous position, would have been seriously injured.

**UNFORTUNATE.**—Mr. Samuel Chipley, of this city, who slipped on the streets of Washington, a few weeks ago, and broke his leg, had so far recovered on Thursday last as to induce him to attempt to walk about his room on crutches; but, unfortunately, while engaged in the attempt, he fell on the floor and broke his leg worse than ever.

**RENTING OF FISHTOWN LOTS.**—Mr. S. J. Reed, who has leased the Fishtown property for the approaching season, will, as can be seen by reference to the advertising columns of the Gazette, dispose of the different lots there by auction to-morrow morning at eleven o'clock.

**COLLIDED.**—The steamer *Vanderbilt*, as she left her wharf at this city, last night, on her way to Aquia Creek, was forced by the tide against an oyster punga, lying between the docks of Prince and Duke streets, and damaged her considerably.

**LARGE PUMPKIN.**—Mr. Gheen, from the Corn Exchange Restaurant, sent to this office this morning a portion of the mammoth pumpkin he has had on exhibition for some time past, and the seed of which he has preserved.

**SPRING CONTINUES.**—The sun's rays warm, and the air balmy, this morning.

**THE COAL TRADE.**—The Georgetown correspondent of the Washington Union, of this morning says:—"Now that the Alexandria Aqueduct is about finished, or will be by the time the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal is ready to receive the water, which will be about the 20th of this month, we may expect a division of the coal trade with Alexandria. Already, three of the companies the American, Central, and Hampshire & Baltimore, have determined to transfer their shipping to that city. Two of these companies, the American and Central, are the heaviest shippers here, and consequently will make a big item in the trade of Alexandria. These removals, however, will diminish the trade of this city temporarily only, as we have no doubt other companies will take the places of those who leave, and do equally as large a business as either of them. There will be a demand for all the coal that can be transported on the Chesapeake and Ohio Canal, and as much as can be shipped at Georgetown and Alexandria together."

**SHOT.**—On Saturday evening last, two young men from Washington, named Cumberland and Johnson, were hunting in this county, near the Long Bridge, and observing a line of wild geese alight, they attempted to crawl upon them so as to get a shot, and in so doing they had to crawl single file through the bushes. They had got some distance in the weeds when the gun of Johnson, who was in the rear, was accidentally discharged, and all the contents of the barrel entered the hand of Mr. Cumberland, tearing one finger away, and so lacerating another that amputation will have to be resorted to.

**VICIOUS DOGS.**—The local in yesterday's Gazette about vicious dogs was not intended to warrant the unjustifiable shooting of dogs kept upon their owners' premises. Many persons in the Southwestern section of the city have to depend almost entirely for the protection of their property, during the night, upon their dogs, and to deprive them of that protection, without sufficient cause, would be an unwarrantable assumption of power, which would not be permitted.

**WATCH HOUSE.**—The mild weather, lately prevailing, has perceptibly diminished the number of applicants for sleeping quarters at the watch house, and last night the name of only one lodger was registered there, and he was from abroad.

**UNION STREET.**—Now that business has once again been fairly opened, it is to be hoped that the present condition of Union street may be remedied. The appearance of that thoroughfare now is, to say the least of it, discreditable.

**GERMAN CO-OPERATIVE BUILDING ASSOCIATION.**—A notice in another column of today's Gazette calls a special meeting of the German Co-operative Building Association—to be held to-night, at Washington Hall.

**NEW GROCERY STORE.**—As will be seen by a card in today's Gazette, our young townsmen, Wm. F. Brookes and Charles S. Taylor, have opened a first class grocery store at the old postoffice corner.

**PROPERTY ASSESSMENT.**—The city assessors, holding over by virtue of the provisions of the laws now in operation, yesterday commenced the appraisal of the property within the corporation limits.

**FRESH FISH.**—Bunches of white perch were offered for sale at the market, this morning, at 50 cents; yellow perch 40 cents, and small rock fish at \$1 25 a piece.

**NOISY.**—The streets were tolerably noisy last night in consequence of the whoops and yells of the attendants of the different balls held in various quarters of the city.

**CRESPES.**—A welcome vegetable in the early spring, to many, were in market, this morning.

**1868 SPRING & SUMMER IMPORTATIONS.**

**RIBBONS, MILLINERY AND STRAW GOODS.**

**ARMSTRONG, CATOR & CO.,**  
Importers and Jobbers of  
BONNET, TRIMMING AND VELVET RIBBONS, BONNET SILKS, SATINS  
& VELVETS, BLONDS, NETS, CRAPES,  
RUCHES, FL. WERS, FEATHERS,  
ORNAMENTS.  
STRAW BONNETS AND LADIES' HATS,  
Trimmed and Untrimmed.  
SHAKESPEARE, &c.  
Nos. 237 and 239, Baltimore street,  
BALTIMORE, MD.

Offer the largest stock to be found in this country, and unequalled in choice variety and cheapness, comprising the latest Parisian novelties.

Orders solicited, and prompt attention given.  
Baltimore, March 10-1m

**ENCOURAGED** by the brilliant successes that have attended its former efforts, the *ENTRACHT* has determined to give another *GRAND MASQUERADE BALL*, On Wednesday evening, the 18th inst., at its Hall, FOR THE BENEFIT OF THE POOR.

**A FULL ORCHESTRA**, composed of the best musicians of Washington city, has been engaged.

**TICKETS**, admitting one, \$1—to be had of any of the members.

Committee of Arrangements.

Lewis Stein, A. K. Sental, Fritz Schneider.

J. Kaufman, I. Schwarz.

mar 10-1d

**TO THE LADIES.**

We have just received a fresh supply of

**JULES HAULE'S INVARIABLE**

**NYMPH SOAP.**

for beautifying and softening the skin; also

**ORIENTAL LIP DROPS**, the most fragrant and

lasting perfume for the handkerchief; also, a

full supply of **ROSE COLOGNES** and **TOILET**

**WATERS, BAY RUM, FANCY** and other

**SOAPS, POMADES, HAIR OILS**, and many

other articles for the toilet. Call and see.

mar 10-1m

**COL. FELIX CONFORT,**

**PROFESSOR OF THE FRENCH**

**LANGUAGE.**

By his perfect method of tuition, Col. Con-

fort can insure his pupils that they can acquire

the French Language in sixty lessons.

WASHINGTON, D. C.

432, G street, between 7th and 8th sts.

We give lessons in this city. Call and see.

particulars apply to HUGH LATHAM.

mar 10-1m

WM. F. BROOKES. CHAS. S. TAYLOR, JR.

**BROOKES & TAYLOR,**

**DEALERS IN**

**CHOICE FAMILY GROCERIES,**

Cor. Pitt and Prince streets,

ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Country Produce taken in Exchange.

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## COMMERCIAL.

**ALEXANDRIA MARKET, Mar. 10.**—The market showed considerable activity this morning, with an advance on yesterday's quotations for Grain. 561 bushels Red Wheat were offered, with sales at 26 1/2 to 27 for good to prime. No choice offered. 1502 bushels mixed Corn were offered, and all sold at 11 1/2 and 11 3/4, an advance of 2 1/2 cts. 18 bushels Eye were sold at 170. No Oats offered. In Seeds there is a little better offer. Eggs have declined. We quote at 22 1/2 Butter scarce and firm, at 40 1/2 Flour firm. Sales of large lots Extra at \$11 70 a 12.

**BALTIMORE MARKET, March 9.**—Grain—Corn was very active this morning, and 2 to 4 cts better in price than on Saturday. Wheat was also in good demand and firm. Sales comprise 1500 bushels good to prime Pennsylvania red at 25 1/2 to 26 1/2; 250 bushels choice Virginia do. at 26 1/2, and 1000 white at 24 for common, 26 1/2 to 28 for fair to good, and 290 for prime. Oats were firm, some 3500 bushels selling from 79 to 84, and we note sales of 350 bushels Rye at 175 a 180.

A special dispatch from New York, yesterday, to the Baltimore Gazette, says: "This has been one of the most exciting days on Wall street since April, 1864, and the remarkable feature has been that the excitement has been created in one stock, namely, Erie. The dealings in it have simply been enormous, and its fluctuations in the aggregate to more than 30 per cent. It is estimated that 500,000 shares of this stock have changed hands to day, or in other words the transactions in it have amounted to more than twice its entire capital."

**GOLD.**

**NEW YORK, March 10.**—Gold to-day 140 1/2.

**MARINE LIST.**

**PORT OF ALEXANDRIA—MARCH 10.**

**ARRIVED.**

Steamer E. C. Knight, Denty, New York, to H. C. Whipple.

S. D. Weldon, Massach, Philadelphia, coal to J. Leatherland.

**SAILED.**

Steamer Valley City, Price, New York, by M. Eldridge & Co.

Schr. Paugusset, Waples, Providence, grain by M. Eldridge & Co.

**FISH WHARF LOTS.**

THE LOTS for BOOTHES, &c., on the FISH WHARF, will be offered for rent, on THURSDAY, the 12th instant, at 11 a. m.

TERMS made known at the time.

mar 10-12

**FOUGERA'S COMPOUND IODINISED**

**MOD LIVER OIL.**—The safest, speediest and most effective preparation for Bronchitis, Consumption, Chronic Rheumatism, Gout, Rickets, General Debility, Scrofulous Diseases of the skin and the eyes, and in general all Scrofulous Affections. For sale by

**WARFIELD & HALL,**

Feb 21 Corner Prince and Fairfax streets.

**FRESH DRUGS, &c.**—Rhubarb Root, Pure Oil Lemon, Iodide Potash, Cape Aloes, Hunnells's Cough Syrup, Bull's ditto, Elm Bark, Sage, Carb. Bismuth, Chloroform, Soap Bark, Frothing Salt Tartar, Castile Soap, Scullap, Corn Plasters, Composition, &c., just received and for sale by

**E. S. LEADBEATER & CO.**

Feb 6

**HOUSEHOLD BLESSING.**

**UNION WASHING MACHINE**

AND WRINGER, constantly on hand and for sale by

**THOMAS PERRY, Agent,**

dec 4—No. 8, Prince st.

**TABLE CUTLERY AND PLATED**

**GOODS.**—Just received at 88, King street, Alexandria, Va., an assortment of Table Cutlery, of beautiful styles, Plated Forks and Spoons of the best quality, which we will sell at a small advance.

jan 31

**JOHN T. CREIGHTON & SON.**

**REMOVAL!**

**MRS. C. L. SIMPSON'S REMOVAL!**

would inform the ladies of this city that she has removed to

No. 126, King street

where she will attend promptly to all orders.

Feb 4

**CHILBLAIN LINIMENT.**—An infallible

remedy for Chilblains or Frosted feet.

Those suffering with this most painful and tormenting complaint, are guaranteed a cure upon using this Liniment as directed. Price 25 cts. a bottle. For sale by

**JANNEY & CO.,**

dec 12—Druggists, 145, King street.

**TIERCE PRIME SMOKED BEEF,**

received this day and for sale

at 145, AVENUE & DAVIDSON.

Feb 21

**DOTY'S WASHING MACHINES.**—We

have on hand a few of the above celebra-

ted Washing Machines, which will be sold

out at 25 per cent less than regular prices. Call

and examine at 88, King st. We want the room

for other purposes.

dec 4

**JOHN T. CREIGHTON & SON.**

**TOOTH POWDER.**—Whites and Thurston's

Tooth Powder, Soudont, Balm 100 Flowers,

and English Tooth Brushes, just received

and for sale by

**E. S. LEADBEATER & CO.,**

No. 7 South Fairfax st.

jan 24

**COFFEE! COFFEE!**

20 bags Rio, Laguyra and Manilla Coffee, just

received and for sale by

**ANDREW J. FLEMING,**

No. 9, King street.

Feb 8

**EARLY GOODRICH POTATOES.**

5 bbls of the genuine, the best early Potatoes

known, for sale by

**COOK & KELLEY.**

Feb 10

**WINDOW SASH, Doors, Blinds, Putty,**

Carpenters Tools, &c.—We are prepared to

furnish anything in the above line of the best

quality and in quantity to suit. Call and see.

JOHN T. CREIGHTON & SON,

No. 88, King street.

jan 31

**CLOAKS AND SACQUES.**

An assortment of beautiful Cloth Cloaks and

Sacqu's, just received by

**HARPER & BRO.**

nov 20

**THE BOUQUET OF EDEN**—a new and

delightful perfume for the handkerchief;

also a great variety of genuine English and

French Perfumery and Pomades, just opened

and for sale by

**JANNEY & CO.**

Feb 7

**PORTRAITALS AND PURSES.**—Just re-

ceived another supply of handsome MO-

ROCCO and other PORTRAITALS, &c., at

very low figures. Call and see them at

**JOHN H. PARROTT'S,**

Stationery Store.

Feb 15

**LADIES' KID GLOVES.**

Just received a full assortment of LADIES'

KID GLOVES, all numbers, from 6 to 7 1/2—

Spring colors—at

**C. C. BERRY'S.**

Feb 28

**COAL OIL.**—5 bbls. West's Extra No. 1

Kerosene Oil, warranted, first test, 110 de-

grees, received to-day, for sale by

**J. C. MILBURN.**

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**FANCY GOODS AND NOTIONS!**

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**CHAS. L. LES W. GREEN,**

No. 68, KING STREET.

Wholesale and Retail Dealer in Fancy and

White Goods, Dress and Tailors' Trimmings,

Ladies' and Gents' Furnishing Goods, Ribbons,

Hosiery, Gloves, Zephyr Worsted, Shirt Bo-

sons, R. flings, Combs, Notions, &c.

The following Goods receive special attention,

and stock kept full throughout the year, viz:

Hoop Skirts, Corsets, Gents' White Shirts,

Travelling Bags, Umbrellas, &c., all of which

will be sold to WHOLESALE AND RETAIL

BUYERS at the lowest market prices

**CHARLES W. GREEN,**